

**SPECIFICATION AMENDMENT**

Please replace paragraph [0003] on pages 2-3 with the following amended paragraph:

The security system sensors report events to a system controller. The controller can be a rather sophisticated programmable device capable of performing many tasks, such as self diagnostics. See, for example, commonly-assigned U.S. Patent Number ~~4,887,067~~ 4,887,064 to Drori *et al.*, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety. The controller can include or be coupled to an indicator light, for example, a light emitting diode (LED). Using the indicator light, the controller can generate a sequence of light flashes to communicate information to the user of the security system. The information flashed off to the user in this manner can include data regarding events, for example, violations that occurred after the system was armed, and self-diagnostic details, such as security system component failures, and low voltage of the vehicle battery.